

12 KNOWN DEAD IN TENNESSEE CLOUD BURSTS

Five Bodies Recovered—SIXTY-THREE
of Double Storm Search-
ing for Bodies

HOUSES SWEEP LIKE PAPER

Concrete Culverts Washed Away
—Several Miles of Railroad
Line Thought Destroyed

SISTERS SEE MAN KILLED BY ROLLER COASTER TRAIN

Newark, N. J., June 15.—Many
persons, including his two sisters, tonight saw Robert Jackson of Park Amboy plunge to his death
while standing up in a roller coaster in a local amusement park.

Jackson, witnesses say, was seated in the front car of a three-car train when he spied his sisters on the ground below. He stood up to attract their attention and at the same time the car took a dip, hurling him over the front to the tracks. The train passed over his body.

At the end of the ride the starter was notified. He turned off the power and while several of the other trains were perched at high elevations removed the body.

YOUTH RESCUES MAN FROM DEATH

Throws Man to Platform and Nar- rowly Escapes Being Hit by Subway Train

New York, June 15.—An old man who did not seem to be very strong toiled painfully up the steps to the express platform of the Pennsylvania subway station last night at 5:30 o'clock, carrying a heavy suitcase. He approached the downtown tracks, leaned over to see if a train was coming, and plunged head first to the rails just as a 12-car train came in sight traveling at full speed.

He got to his feet and tried to hold himself back to the platform, but he did not have the strength, and fell back. Men and women began shouting for help, and the grinding of the brakes could be heard as the motor-man began the hopeless task of trying to stop the train before it hit the man.

But just when it seemed that nothing could avert a tragedy, a young man, tall and lean, jumped to the tracks. He grabbed the old man and the suitcase and with a mighty heave flung both to the platform with such strength that they knocked down several persons who were leaning forward. Then the young man put his hands on the edge of the platform and vaulted to safety, the front car of the train missing him by inches.

The young man picked up the old man and handed him his suitcase. Then he brushed his own clothing, got into a subway train and began to read a newspaper as calmly as if nothing had happened. Several persons tried to learn his name, but he refused to tell it, saying the incident "did not amount to anything."

One who saw the rescue and said that it was as daring a thing as he had ever seen was Brighton Tyler, manager of the Hotel Berkeley at 29 Fifth avenue.

TRAP on Railroad.

Charlotte, N. C., June 15.—Traffic on the Bristol-Mountain City line of the Southern railway will be partly tied up for at least fifteen hours as the result of flood damage in that region it was announced by the railway here today.

CORSETS MUST GO SAY STYLE MAKERS

Will Meet Same Fate of Hoop Skirts
and Bustles, Says Rue de la
Paix Creators

Harrisburg, Ill., June 15.—Two dynamite bombs exploded early today, shaking the entire city, causing the partial destruction of two houses and breaking the windows of several other adjacent homes. No persons were injured by the explosion.

The bombs are thought to have been set by persons opposing recent liquor raids made in Saline county.

The first explosion occurred at the home of Hubert Hawkins, wholesale grocer, who has been active recently in assisting Sheriff John Small of Saline county and his deputies in conducting liquor raids.

Shortly after, the second explosion occurred at the home of Frank McReath. McReath's family of seven, sleeping in the house, were not injured.

McReath was also active in assisting in liquor raids and is thought to have incurred the enmity of alleged bootleggers in the county.

PENNSYLVANIA GIRL WINS AMERICAN LEGION PRIZE

Indianapolis, Ind., June 15.—Miss Sarah H. Heysham, 17, of Norristown, Pa., won first prize in the American Legion's annual national essay contest, it was announced today at Legion national headquarters. First prize amount to \$150, and is to be used to defray expenses of attending a standard university.

Miss Florence Sweetman, 16, of Rochester, N. Y., won second prize—\$100—and Beret Hill, 14, of Jackson, Tenn., took third honor and \$50.

The essay subject was "Why America Should Prohibit Immigration for Five Years." The contest was open to school children throughout the country between 12 and 18 years old. More than 250,000 essays were submitted, it was said.

CLAYTON FENCE IS ELECTROCTED.

Oneonta, N. Y., June 15.—William W. Parr was electrocuted late today when he attempted to climb a fence, it is believed, was charged with current from a high tension wire with current from a high tension wire. The body was recovered a half-mile distant.

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ONEONTA, N. Y., MONDAY, JUNE 15, 1924

Three Officers Who Lost Lives on Mississippi



Lieutenant Thomas E. Zellars, Granville, Ga., graduate of the Naval Academy.

Ensign Wm. G. McCrea, appointed from Reneo, Pa., and an Annapolis honor man.

Ensign Marcus Erwin Jr., appointed from Asheville, N. C., a year ago.

DEAD BODIES OF SHIP'S DISASTER CLOSELY GUARDED

Radicals Said to Have Threatened to Blow Up Morgue Contain- ing 48 Mississippi Victims

(By the Associated Press)

San Pedro, Cal., June 15.—Threats to blow up the morgue containing bodies of 48 victims of last Thursday's explosion aboard the U. S. S. Mississippi, said by police to have been uttered by radicals, whose hall was raided and wrecked by sailors

last night, caused a strong armed guard of civilian and naval police to be thrown about the morgue today.

The guard was placed as the result of information given to Police Lieutenant Hollowell to the effect that members of the Industrial Workers of the World planned to dynamite the morgue in retaliation for the attack on their meeting place.

The raid was said to have grown out of disparaging remarks made by radical orators about the three officers and 42 enlisted men who perished in the Mississippi's No. 2 turret when one of the turret's 14-inch guns "flared back" on its crew. Three girls, a boy, and a man were hurt in the affray.

ARMED WITH BLITZ GUNS.

Of the 50 men who participated in the J. W. W. raid, about half were in naval uniform. The boy and the girls injured were scalped when the raiders overturned a coffee urn on them. The one man hurt received a scalp wound when he resisted the angry mob.

The raiders attacked with clubs, broke all windows in the meeting hall, tore down the doors, drove out the alleged J. W. W., and then carried the furniture in to the street, where they made a bonfire of it.

While the guard of police and sailors maintained vigilant watch over the morgue during the early hours today, police officials launched an investigation to learn the identity of those behind the purported plot.

The sailors composing the guard were armed at police headquarters here with riot guns and rifles. They were commanded by Lieutenant J. N. Buchanan, senior port officer.

READY TO TRY TO CROSS COUNTRY BY DAYLIGHT

San Francisco, June 15.—Plans are complete for the coast-to-coast day flight to be attempted sometime within the next week by Lieutenant Russell Maughan, it was stated at army headquarters here today.

Maughan will hop off from New York at dawn and try to reach San Francisco before dark.

He will make about three stops enroute, to refuel, and will try for speed record. He hopes to make the trip in about 12 hours, well under the period of daylight available. He will fly alone, thus facing an unprecedented strain for an aviator negotiating such a distance. He expects to cross the continent in nearly 10 hours less than the time Lieutenant John A. Macready and Oakley G. Kelly required to accomplish the feat in a non-stop flight.

TWO HOLLOWAY MEN DROWN

Holyoke, Mass., June 15.—Two men lost their lives in drowning accidents in this city today. The body of Ernest D. Lavelleur, 57, was found in a mill canal. It is believed he fell over a bridge railing.

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ACTIVITY KILLED, OTHER DYING.

Syracuse, June 15.—Drivers of two automobiles about to crash at an intersection in the heart of the city early today, overreared their cars to the sidewalk, and both crashed into a cigar store. One driver was killed and the other severely injured. The cigar store was wrecked.

Edward Smith, driver of a newspaper delivery car, was killed instantly. His body was found tangled in the debris. Joseph A. Polan, a taxi-cab driver, was found unconscious at the seat of his machine, cut and bleeding.

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KIDNAPPING PLOT FAILS TO SUCCEED

Man Said to Have Admitted Writ- ing Demand Letter Trapped Phone Details

New York, June 15.—Robert Brady, 26, of Rockaway Beach, New York city, was held in \$1,000 bail today by Magistrate Levine, charged with demanding \$10,000 from Mrs. Archibald Stearns Wilson, wife of a magazine publisher, under threat of kidnapping her four-year-old son and "cutting his heart out" if the demands were not met.

Brady, who is an automobile salesman, will be arraigned Thursday. He was arrested as he stepped from a telephone booth after calling the Wilson home, as the result of a trap laid by police in co-operation with the telephone company. He is alleged to have written Mrs. Wilson a letter signed "Fred Romeo—for the gang," in which he demanded the money and declared he would abduct her son and "send his heart back" if the money was not forthcoming.

Brady learned the child's name when he fished a ball out of a lake in Central park for him. He admitted writing the letter, police said, but declared he was "only fooling."

The prisoner telephoned to the Wilson home 12 different times, detectives said, giving different instructions each time as to where the money should be left.

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WOMAN DEAD, 3 CHILDREN DYING, AFTER COLLISION

Chelsea, Mass., June 15.—A woman is believed to be dying and three other persons were injured in a collision of two automobiles here tonight. One car, with a policeman on the running board, was speeding to a fire alarm box from which a boy had just sent in a false alarm.

At the corner at which the box is located they were in collision with another machine operated by James Mintz of Malden.

The Mintz car was forced upon the sidewalk into the crowd of women and children which had collected and through a store window.

Mr. Ida Plotnick was dead on arrival at a hospital. Her daughter, Jennie, 6, suffered a fractured skull and Nettie Trager, 8, and Harry Harris, 5, are in a similar condition.

Beatrice and Harry Trauder, 11, and 3, respectively are under treatment for severe cuts but they will recover.

Mintz and Max Springer, driver of the other machine, were released in \$1,500 bonds each, charged with manslaughter.

MOVE TO MAKE MERCHANT MARINE AMERICAN-MANNED

Washington, June 15.—The first step in plan to give the United States into Diesel motor propulsion of approximately 60 large steam cargo vessels, aggregating 60,000 dead weight tons, now lying idle but well preserved, will be made possible by a judicious expenditure of \$25,000 made available by congress, Chairman O'Connor of the Shipping board declared tonight in a statement.

The Mintz car was forced upon the sidewalk into the crowd of women and children which had collected and through a store window, the chairman averred.

As a result of a survey of the board's laid up fleet, about 275 vessels have been selected as most available for conversion into motor ships.

To install new steam machinery in them, Mr. O'Connor said, undoubtedly would enhance their reliability and involve less cost than Diesel installation, but the resultant benefits, he added, would not be commensurate with the expenditure.

UNITED STATES INCREASES POPULATION BY 1,943,000

New York, June 15.—The population of the United States increased 1,943,000 during 1923, according to estimates announced today by the National Bureau of Economic Research. On January 1, 1923, the total population was 112,526,000, the bureau's figures show.

In the latter half of 1923, a net increase of 1,662,000 was recorded.

The bureau's report states:

"The unusual increase is attributed to the heavy excess of immigration over emigration and the lowest death rate which ever prevailed during a similar period in this country."

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CHASED BEFORE TRAIN, BOY KILLED, ONE DYING

Philadelphia, June 15.—One boy was killed and three others were injured, one probably fatally, today when struck by a freight train at the mouth of a tunnel in West Philadelphia. The boys, who had been playing baseball on a lot adjoining the railroad, were chased by other boys, who previously had broken



AMERICAN LEAGUE

THREE SMOTHER BOSTON

Get 21 Hits—All Detroit Men Get at Least One Hit.

Detroit, June 15.—Detroit smothered Boston under an avalanche of 11 hits today and won the first game of the series, 10 to 4. Each Detroit player got at least one hit, while Manhattan got 11 hits, five out of six times at bat. In his last turn up, he smashed the ball to deep center but was robbed of a hit by Flaggard who made a startling, one-handed catch. The game was delayed 45 minutes by rain.

R. H. E.
Boston 000 200 101—4 10 2
Detroit 200 241 10x-10 21 0
Batteries—Quinn, Fehr, Ross and O'Neill; Whitenhill and Bumler.

SOX BEAT WASHINGTON

Overcome Four-Hit Lead, Tying Score in Fourth and Winning in Seventh.

Chicago, June 15.—The White Sox defeated Washington, 6 to 4, here today, after the Senators got away to a three-run lead in the first, adding one in the fourth. The Sox jammed four runs into their half of the fourth and two in the seventh. Zahniser gave way to Russell in this inning, while Lyons went out in the fourth, Hopper batting for him. Connally was effective.

Washington 000 200 000—4 9 2
Chicago 000 400 20x-6 10 2
Batteries—Zahniser, Russell and Ruel; Lyons, Connally and Krause.

CLEVELAND BEATS NEW YORK

Six Runs in Sixth Inning Give Indians Lead—Crosby Dislocates Ankle.

Cleveland, June 15.—Cleveland won today from New York, 10 to 3, in the first game of the series. The Indians made six runs in the sixth inning, driving Shrawkey from the box. In sliding home in the first inning, Left Fielder Combe of the Yankees dislocated his right ankle and was carried from the field. With two on base in the seventh, Myatt hit a home run.

New York 000 000 000—3 2 2
Cleveland 100 000 30x-10 11 3
Batteries—Shrawkey, Gaston, Pippagross and Schang; Hofmann; Shantz and Myatt.

BROWNS BREAK LOSING STRING

Batteries—Harrer, Rutherford and Both Teams.

St. Louis, June 15.—The St. Louis Browns broke their losing streak today, defeating Philadelphia, 8 to 5, in a 10-inning game, featured by heavy hitting by both teams. Ten two-base hits and five home runs kept the result in doubt until the 10th inning when Shaler's single brought in Klop with the winning run.

Williams drove out his 11th homer. Philadelphia 000 412 8—8 18 3
St. Louis 000 210 001 1—8 16 3
Batteries—Harrer, Gray and Perkins; Brugay, Vangilder, Danforth, Klop and Sev-erett, Collins.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

St. Paul, 4-12-8; Louisville, 8-4-1 (1st game).

St. Paul, 2-6-8; Louisville, 8-1-1 (2nd game).

Milwaukee, 5-9-2; Toledo, 8-18-2 (1st game).

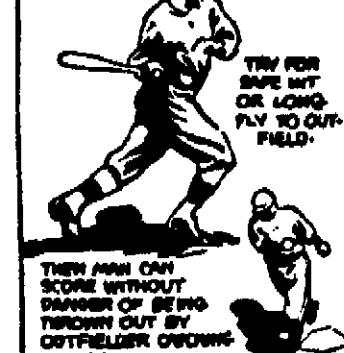
Milwaukee, 2-4-1; Toledo, 4-8-2 (2nd game).

Kansas City, 3-7-0; Columbus, 8-13-2 (1st game).

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Minneapolis, 9-16-2; Indianapolis, 10-13-2 (1st game, 14 innings) sec-ond game called off on account of 6 o'clock closing law.

Baseball AS BIG LEAGUERS PLAY IT

MAN ON 3RD—1 OUT
DON'T SACRIFICE!

THREE MEN CAN SCORE WITHOUT DARNER OF BEING THROWN OUT BY CATCHER CATCHING THE BALL.

SOME TEAMS USE SQUEEZE PLAY IN THIS SITUATION.

With a man on third would you sacrifice with one man out? Why?

Answered by
FRANK FRANC

Second baseman, New York Giants. His timely hitting has made him known as "the game wrecker." His second sucker in the National League.

In such a case the batter should always try for a safe hit or else a long fly to the outfield in order to have the man on third score without any danger of being thrown out by an outfielder catching the ball. Some teams would use that squeeze play in this case. If the infield should be playing back and the batter sees this is a chance of bunting the ball safely, the bunt would be a good play to make sure of the run.

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NATIONAL LEAGUE

CARDS DFT FOUR HITS.

Rutherford in Good Form—St. Louis Ropes Greatly Altered by Errors.

Brooklyn, June 15.—Rutherford held St. Louis to four hits and Brooklyn made it two out of three in the series by winning 4 to 2. Two of the Cardinals hits, punched with two errors and a pass in the sixth, resulted in all their runs. Five of Brooklyn's 13 hits were doubles, but 12 men were left on base and four caught at the plate. Johnstown injured his leg sliding home in the eighth and was forced to retire and may be out of the game for some time.

R. H. E.
St. Louis 000 003 000—4 2 3
Brooklyn 000 112 00x—4 12 8
Batteries—Rutherford and Taylor.

MAYS DRIVEN FROM BOX.

Giants Gain Half-Game Lead on Chicago by Beating Cincinnati.

New York, June 15.—Carl Mays, appearing at the Polo grounds for the first time since the 1922 world series, was driven from the mound in the sixth inning today after allowing all the Giants' runs in their 4 to 1 victory over Cincinnati. McQuillan, touched for 10 hits, was tight in the pitches. The Giants gained a half-game on Chicago.

Cincinnati 000 000 100—1 10 4
New York 010 021 00x—4 10 0
Batteries—Mays, May and Wilcox; McQuillan and Snyder, Gowdy.

Two games only scheduled.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

National League

W L P.C.

New York 22 20 .615

Chicago 31 20 .493

Brooklyn 27 23 .551

Cincinnati 26 23 .510

Pittsburgh 22 26 .458

Boston 21 26 .457

St. Louis 21 31 .404

Philadelphia 17 25 .378

American League

W L P.C.

New York 28 20 .582

Boston 27 21 .563

Detroit 29 25 .527

Chicago 24 24 .500

Washington 24 25 .470

St. Louis 24 26 .450

Cleveland 22 26 .435

Philadelphia 19 29 .388

Pirates Defeat Colonials.

Kingston, June 15.—The Pittsburgh Nationals defeated the Albany Colonials in a 10-inning exhibition game here today, 2 to 0.

Pittsburgh 000 000 000—2 2 0

Kingston 000 000 000—0 0 1

Batteries—Sales, Yde and Knox; Culton and McLaughlin.

Two games only scheduled.

HIGH SCHOOL ENDS SEASON

Yellow and White Nine Take Throwing Contest from Mohawk Seminary Saturday, 14-12—Team Beating.

The Oneonta High school baseball team closed the present season at Neekura park on Saturday by taking a thrilling and hard fought contest from Hartwick Seminary, to whom they lost a week ago, by a score of 14-12. Beginning the last half of the ninth Hartwick lead by a score of 14-10, but the Yellow and White nine seemed to have at last grasped the spirit of a ninth inning rally and four runs were pushed across the rubber.

A feature which ranked with the rally of the locals was that made by the Seminary when in the sixth inning seven runs were scored on four doubles, a single, error, walk, base on balls and a hit batsman.

The game was perhaps more loosely played than have been any others of the locals, perhaps their handicap due to lack of practice accounting for the fact. With the rainy weather of this spring the team has been particularly unfortunate still the team has made a very good showing for the first one in nearly a decade, and the prospects for next year appear to be bright.

Such was the thrilling finish of the game at Utica yesterday between the Oneonta Giants and the Mohawk Athletics, the re-organized Utica K. of C. team. Luck, perhaps—but such breaks are part of the great game, a part that give it much of its attraction. Yet, perhaps there was a horseshoe in Eckstein's hand, but he knew how to hit the mark with it when the right moment arrived and his teammates knew how to follow up the advantage offered them.

The game was an interesting one to watch from start to finish, the lead see sawing back and forth. The Giants fielded the ball in nearly perfect fashion and hit like a pack of demons. Seventeen hits bounces off their war clubs into the batting average column, strengthening it considerably after the slump of last week.

Oneonta started off like a whirlwind and before Steltwater twirling for the Athletics, could get steamed up but he had been nickel for three runs all mad, or clean hitting. Wilcox started off the frame with a double and scored when Fitch singled over second. Harner came through with a double and Fitch trotted in. With Eckstein away, Roche made the fourth hit and the third double of the inning, scoring Harner. That's all there was to that but it was plenty enough to put a great fear in the hearts of the supporters of the Utica team.

Steltwater tightened up considerably and until the seventh Oneonta could do little with his offerings. In that stanza three more runs came across. Wilcox put a grounder past second for a single and was sacrificed to second by Fitch. Harner singled, scoring Fitch. Harner came in on Eckstein's triple and the old man trotted in when Boylan dashed a single into right.

The Athletics, who had tied the count in the third with three runs and gone ahead in the fourth with two more, equalized things up again in their half of the seventh and went out ahead by one run in the eighth. When Onofrio went to bat in the ninth a run was needed to tie and two to win.

The game started out in gloomy fashion. Fitch fled out to left and two out the game seemed lost. Then the unexpected happened. With the count three balls to no strikes Eckstein shot a foul fly into the air and McElroy muffed it. Encouraged by his good fortune Eck ripped out a single. Roche repeated the trick. Boylan made it three in a row by pushing a single singed over second and Eck raced home with the tying run. Boylan stopped the beating of Utica hearts with a single, scoring Roche with the winning counter.

Just to put the game on ice Oneonta scored three more before the third man was out. Slatack hit a hot liner to center field who muffed it and Boylan came in. Lobeck and Slatack were scored by Walsh's long double between left and center.

The tabulated score:

Onofrio	AB	R	H	P.C.
Wilcox, If	6	2	2	0
Fitch, 2b	4	1	3	2
Harner, If	5	2	3	1
Eckstein, cf	3	2	3	0
Roche, 2b	1	1	2	1
Boylan, rf	4	1	1	0
Lobeck, If	4	1	1	0
Slatack, c	4	1	1	3
Walsh, p	5	0	3	0

Totals 40 11 17 27 12 1

Mohawk Athletics	AB	R	H	P.C.
Wurz, If	2	1	0	0
Jaunie, 2b	5	0	1	3
Hahn, If	4	0	1	1
McElroy, cf	3	2	3	0
McElroy, 2b	5	1	2	1
Boylan, rf	4	1	1	0
Lobeck, If	4	1	1	0
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UN-BUSINESSLIKE CONGRESS

Much might have been forgiven to the present congress if it had left its desk in order. The members themselves admit that they left a pretty bad mess.

None of us would think much of a man who went away for a six months' vacation without making arrangements to pay his current bills. Congress did that. Vowing the army bonus, it provided no money to pay the bonus with. It failed to pass any deficiency appropriation bill, thereby crippling numerous executive activities.

Here are a few of the many important legislative matters left piled in a chaotic heap on the congressional desk when it adjourned with a shout on the first Saturday in June, to attend the national conventions:

Prune Relief, Muscle Shocks, railroad rates, prohibition enforcement, reclamation, the World court, treaties with various countries to curb counter-espionage, pending commercial treaties adapted to post-war conditions, modernization of the navy.

Of most of these matters action was taken in either the senate or house, or separate action in each, but there was no final action by both together. So important national business is left up in the air until next winter, though congress knew what there was to be done and had all winter and spring to do it.

It is the usual story, only perhaps a little worse than usual in degree. Yet members of congress are complaining about the unpopularity of that body. The public does not expect so much business efficiency of a legislature as it does of a business corporation, but it expects more than it gets. That is why it changes the personnel of congress so frequently.

RUSSIAN DEBTS.

The Moscow government was immensely pleased when the new British government announced its readiness to recognize Russia. Now Moscow is no longer pleased. For Prime Macdonald has emphasized one little point the Soviet leaders overlooked—that recognition will be conditioned on the Soviet recognizing its country's foreign debts. That includes the debts incurred before the Soviet came into power.

It is the same old question, and the same old obstacle to receiving Soviet Russia into the sisterhood of states. A Russian national debt argues Great Britain is a Russian national debt, no matter what particular Russian government incurred the debt and spent the money. If this principle were not insisted on, any country might repudiate its debts every time a new party came into power.

France, which is Russia's chief creditor, has taken this position all along, wherefore the Soviet has hated France particularly. The United States has insisted on it, too, as a matter of common international honesty, sticking for the principle rather than for self-interest, because Russia does not owe this country much.

NOMINATION OF DAWES

It is a general opinion that good fortune attended the Republican national convention when, following the positive declination of Lowden, General Dawes was placed in nomination for the vice presidency. He is a younger and stronger man than Burton, to whom a majority of the New York delegation gave its support. He is an able and presumably a saner man than Judge Kenyon, whom others of the New York delegation supported.

He has been successful in business and banking and has ever since his entry in politics been a power for cleanliness and efficiency. In the war he proved his efficiency in the management of army supplies and recently in Europe he has made record of which Americans are proud.

Though of a different type than Coolidge, he will be a perfect balance for him; and he will be accepted on the ticket as being a man who if elected would be suited in an emergency for the high office of president.

ATTORNEY FLAESCH RETAINED.

To the Warren of the Death of the Late Louis F. Peet.

Attorney Charles C. Flaesch of Utica has been retained by the widow of Louis F. Peet to care for the interests of the estate in the claim against the D. & H. railroad company. Peet, it will be recalled, died at the Fox hospital on Thursday evening last from the effects of burns caused by escaping steam from a locomotive upon which Peet was working at the D. & H. roundhouse. Death followed in a half hour after the accident.

While D. & H. officials were reticent that evening about discussing the accident or giving any account of the cause of the same, it is asserted by friends of the family of the deceased that the wife has a just claim against the company. No action has been commenced, but it is probable that suit will be instituted in a short time.

To Attend Elks Convention.

Concordia, June 15.—Members of Utica commandery, No. 26 Knights Templar, will go to Elks Pavilion to attend the meeting of the state commandery. The local commandery will be accompanied by the Utica Spring band which has been engaged for the occasion.

Parade—Matthews Memorial.

The Friday and Saturday review will be held three miles from South Valley at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller on June 25, 1924. Please bring refreshments and donations. All refreshments by check or money order are especially invited to exceed.

FRESH AIR WORK BEGINS

Oneonta Star Initiates Campaign to Provide Vacation for Poor Children in New York.

Territories in Oregon and Delaware county have been assigned to each member of the Utica Rotary club and the men have already begun the work of finding vacation homes for the 150 children it is planned to bring up from New York city this summer to enjoy two weeks of happiness such as they have never known before. The Tribune Fresh Air Fund will select the children in New York city and send them to Oneonta; the Rotary club will secure places for them and see that they get to and from their vacation homes.

It is expected that most of the hosts for the 104 children entertained in this section last year will be willing to provide bed and board and a little kindness for one or more kiddies this year. Those who have entertained children in past years have found it a work of pleasure and no regrets. To them it has seemed that the work provides its own reward in the consciousness of well doing, in the gratitude of the children and, above all, in the realization through observation of how boys and girls blossom and flower under the sunshine of the fresh air vacation which they have made possible.

No effort will be made to canvass the city of Oneonta and any citizens who wish to take children into their homes for the two weeks period are asked to communicate with C. G. Miller, chairman of the Rotary club fresh air committee, or Rev. L. Curtis Denney, secretary of the club.

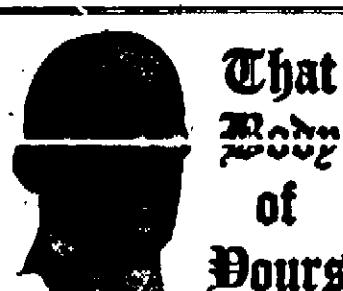
GRADUATES OF HAMILTON

Schemers and Oneonta Boys Receive Degrees This Morning.

Stuart P. Brownell, son of Dr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Brownell of this city, will be graduated this morning from Hamilton college at Clinton. During his four year course Mr. Brownell has been prominent in many lines of college activity. He was on the varsity soccer team for four years, not missing participation in a single game during that period. Dr. and Mrs. Brownell are in Clinton to see their son graduate and the former to attend the 40th reunion of the class of 1884, of which he was a member.

Several members of the class were back for the reunion, including some who came considerable distances to mingle with the "boys" they had known so intimately nearly a half century ago.

Another member of the graduating class at Hamilton this year is George L. Nesbitt of Schemers. Mr. Nesbitt, who has won many honors at Hamilton was a contestant Saturday evening in the 63th annual Clark Prize exhibition, a speaking contest to participate in which is a considerable honor and to win which is one of the most highly prized undergraduate honors. Mr. Nesbitt won appointment to the contest through his excellent work in public speaking and writing during his college course.



By James W. Barton, M.D.

WHY THE WARNING?

A patient once said to his physician, "Why do you warn many of your patients about overeating. Surely the stomach, liver, intestines and the other organs of digestion are all the better for working, because they get so much to do, it must actually strengthen them."

The physician said:

I advise my patients to refrain from overeating for a number of reasons. If they are young I want to prevent attacks of indigestion with the consequent pain.

If they are in their young manhood or womanhood, to prevent the above troubles and to prevent overweight.

In middle age and older people, because there is so much excess waste that the blood actually carries some of it to the walls of the arteries, which, becoming slightly inflamed, lose some of their elastic tissue. This elastic tissue is replaced by fibrous tissue, and the vessel becomes hard instead of soft and yielding. This means instead of "soft" to you, because your arteries tell your age.

But there is one real big reason, that I don't tell about, because they wouldn't believe it if I did tell them. The more a man eats, the less he wants to work or exercise.

This is so true that he'd only get fat if it were pointed out to him.

The very act of taking on board more food that you need means that you are going to feel a bit sluggish for a considerable time after meals (item for a short time after meals is quite all right).

This sluggishness in itself means that you'll have no desire to do manual work or take any exercise.

Further, as you grow heavier, every little bit of exertion means more effort on your part than that of a lighter person, and so you have yourself all you can.

Every more is an effort, and so you refuse to move.

Now, one of the joys of life is eating. If your food doesn't look or taste good to you, there's something wrong with you, that's all. It's a sign of health to have a good appetite and to be able to enjoy everything that is placed on the table.

But nature expected you, with your good appetite, to use up that food by exercise.

The only way any development comes is by use. Your muscles will get no development unless they are used.

And so, when a healthy fellow like you eats a great quantity of food, and your muscular system is not worked to burn up the food, then the food is deposited in the form of fat in, on, and around all the tissues and organs of the body.

I wouldn't mind a fellow eating like me, if he would build them into muscle by exercising of working out doors. I know he will not do the work, so that's why I warn him of the dangers of overeating.

NOW FOR THE NEXT BIG ACT



IMPORTANT TO TAXICAB MEN

Owners of Motor Vehicles Operating for Hire in New York State Must Secure Bonds.

More than 20,000 owners of taxicabs or automobiles for hire update in New York will be affected by the provisions of the Johner bill passed by the last legislature, which requires that every automobile operated for hire on the highways or streets of the state of New York must be covered by a bond or policy of insurance against liability and property damage in an amount not less than \$2,500. The law is effective July 1 and merely extends to the entire state the same requirements that have prevailed in Greater New York, Buffalo and Rochester for the past several years.

The law was the subject of much discussion in both houses of the legislature during the last session, its sponsors arguing that it filled a long felt want for the protection of the pedestrian, the owners of private cars and those riding in taxicabs; the chief contention being that a considerable percentage of the ownership of up-to-date cars offered for hire is beyond the law as to the extent of damages to the same extent as is the case in cities of the first class.

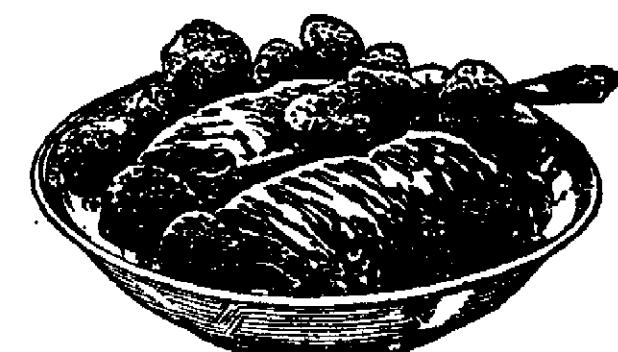
The law provides that these policies of insurance or bonds must be filed with the commissioner of motor vehicles on or before July 1 in order to legally use the vehicle for hire anywhere in the state after midnight of June 30. Failure to comply with the law in this respect will make the registration plates issued for the vehicle subject to revocation.

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Church May 30th Party.

On the application of Attorney James S. Seacord of Utica, a writ for the removal and re-enforcement of St. Matthews' Episcopal Church at Utica, Justice Kellogg on Saturday

stated an order authorizing the sale of the church because of the view of the Gray Hopp property in that town. The consideration named is \$2,000.

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9 a. m.	57
1 p. m.	59
2 p. m.	64
Maximum 62	Minimum 49
Rainfall .28	
Saturday Temperature.	
9 a. m.	58
1 p. m.	73
2 p. m.	58
Maximum 78	Minimum 54
Rainfall .10	

LOCAL NOTICES

The Oneonta Giants are idle today. Tomorrow and Wednesday Johnstown, the winner over Oneonta in that city on June 1, will appear here.

D. F. Keyes and Attorney Owen C. Becker have taken title to the Hauer Chemical company building and adjacent lands at East End, which it was recently stated had been purchased by Mr. Keyes.

At the Oneonta club at 9 o'clock this evening Oneonta Kiwanis club will hold a special meeting in connection with the international convention of the organization now being held in Denver, Colo. Every Kiwanis club in the country will hold a meeting at the same time. A very interesting program has been arranged.

JUNE REGENTS' PROGRAM
Examinations of New York State Board of Regents Begin This Morning—To Be Held at Oneonta High School.

Following is the schedule of the Regents' examinations which will be given Oneonta High school along with other schools of the state beginning this morning and continuing until Friday. Students many from outside of the city will take their examinations at the school here as has been their custom.

Monday.

Morning—Intermediate algebra, advanced algebra, solid geometry, shorthand 1 and 2, elementary representation.

Afternoon—Elementary English, English 2, 3, 4, English three years, English four years.

Tuesday.

Morning—Arithmetic, commercial arithmetic, Spanish 2, English grammar, American history, course C.

Afternoon—Spelling, Latin 2, 3, 4, Latin, three years and four years, biology, bookkeeping 1.

Wednesday.

Morning—Geography, elementary algebra, plane geometry, bookkeeping 2, psychology, elementary mechanical drawing.

Afternoon—Elementary U. S. history, history, course A, history, course B, plane trigonometry, spherical trigonometry, typewriting, intermediate drawing.

Thursday.

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BOY SCOUT RALLY HELD

Three Hundred Members of Oneonta-Escholaris Council Assemble in Oneonta-Cherry Valley Troop of Boy Scouts Take Big Lead Over Outlets in Wheling Majority of Events in First Council Rally Held Saturday — Success General and Many Spectators at Fair Ground.

The first annual rally of the Oneonta-Escholaris Boy Scout council was held in this city on Saturday with more than 300 Scouts representing every troop but four in the county actively participating. The delegation of spectators from throughout the county was also large and their interest rivaled closely that of the Scouts.

Cherry Valley carried off a majority of the honors, with Morris, a troop of only ten boys, running second. Just to prove that numbers did not count compared with practice Oneonta with three troops represented and Cooperstown with four, failed to take a single event.

The program of the day started off with a parade of all the Scouts, headed by Keeton's band of this city, and with Committeeman M. G. Keenan as marshal, through the business section of the city, marching across Walnut street, down Church and back to the fair grounds, the use of which was kindly given by the association for the field day, by way of Main street.

But of course the boys ate before the parade. An hour and a half was allotted to this necessary rest, which was not at all too long, though in most cases enough. The meal was excellently prepared by Albert Winn of this city, and was topped off with a liberal supply of Purity ice cream which was donated by the Oneonta Ice Cream company.

Back at the fair grounds from the parade, the council forces lined up for the opening exercises. David P. Reed, Wilber, Jr. presented the council colors to the council as the first event, a privilege which the little men quite evidently enjoyed fully as well as did the members of the council. The "Star Spangled Banner" was then rendered by Keeton's band and the pledge to the flag and the Scout oath given by all the Scouts.

Events of the Afternoon.

The program of events for the afternoon was divided into two parts, individual and troop events. In the first group the scores were as follows: Cherry Valley, 20; Morris, 18; Cobleskill, 8; Schenevus, 2; and Worcester, 1.

Following is the order in which the various troops finished in the various events: Dressing and undressing race, Cherry Valley, Morris, Worcester; horse and rider contest, Cobleskill, Cherry Valley and Schenectady; first aid obstacle race, Morris, first and Cherry Valley second and third; antelope race, Cherry Valley, Cobleskill and Schenevus; and axe contest, Morris and Cherry Valley.

As a result of this portion of the events, Cherry Valley received a large troop flag, Morris a small troop flag and Cobleskill a Scout pennant.

The second part of the program Cherry Valley won the infantry drill competition and was awarded a Scout pennant. In the tug of war, Cherry Valley again captured first place and a Scout pennant, while Cobleskill, which finished second, secured pair of signal flags.

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ELKS HONOR OLD GLORY

Where the People Once Exposed to the Sun, the Sun is Glowing with the Glory of a Come That Cannot Die.

In accordance with the nation wide custom of the fraternity, Oneonta Lodge of Elks held Saturday evening in the magnificient lodge room of the Lodge appropriate Flag day ceremonies and as no less beautiful and inspiring were they than those held in former years and still remembered by all who witnessed them. The public had been invited to the exercises and those in attendance included not only a goodly number of members but many other citizens as well.

The meeting opened with the singing of the Star Spangled Banner by the Elks' Glee club, followed by impressive introductory exercises by the officers of the Lodge. Prayer by Captain Judge was followed by the History of the Flag by Dr. George J. Dann. After speaking somewhat of the origin of the Stars and Stripes and the glorious achievements accomplished under its folds, Dr. Dann gave the beautiful tribute of the order to the flag.

The singing of Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean, by the audience preceded the altar service by the officers of the Lodge, which was concluded with Auld Lang Syne by the officers and members. Several selections by the Glee club preceded the address of the Captain.

Captain Judge began his masterly address with a remarkable tribute to the flag that tops the world, following which he discussed the cost in lives and treasure of that bit of ground which the whole country was honoring the day. Thome "non-resistors" who are carrying their pacifist ideas to the point where they are securing pledges that bind the takers under no circumstances to bear arms in time of war, were roundly scored by Captain Judge. He stated that he had seen the horrors of two conflicts and held no brief for war but that he would prefer lingering death on the battlefield to life under foreign rule or to national dishonor of any sort.

The speaker paid a high tribute to the womanhood of the nation and said that in the past mothers had been proud to raise sons to defend the flag and the honor of their country. That they would continue so to do was his prayer and his conviction.

The flag is big enough to cover all of us, Captain Judge said, and we must labor mightily to keep it flying high. He urged his hearers to consider seriously the principles for which it stands, such as liberty and respect for law and duly constituted authority and to strive to uphold those principles.

LADY ANN AT M. E. CHURCH

Distinguished Armenian Noblewoman Makes Earnest Plea for Starving Children — City Asked to Raise \$2,000.

Lady Ann Azagopian, who has touched the hearts of many Oneontans during her brief stay in the city with her graphic recitals of conditions in the Near East and of the needs of the starving children of Armenia, touched the high spot of her campaign when she addressed a large congregation at the First Methodist

NORWICH WOMAN SUICIDE

Body of Mrs. Wm. S. Everham Found in Chenango River Sunday Evening—Missing Since Friday Noon.

Norwich, June 15.—At 9:30 Sunday evening searchers found in the Chenango river here the body of Mrs. William S. Everham, who disappeared from her home here at about 11 o'clock Friday morning, while in the midst of preparing the noon-day meal for her husband, who arrived home from his work as chief engineer at the Norwich Pharmaceutical company shortly after 12 o'clock, to find the meal partially prepared and the wife gone. After an hour's search he notified the police of her disappearance.

Since that time a continuous search has been in progress, participated in by the local officers, State Troopers from the Sidney barracks, Boy Scouts and scores of friends of the family.

Mrs. Everham was last seen after 11 o'clock about the grounds of Mt. Hope cemetery. Every inch of land about that cemetery was combed and the water drawn from two artificial lakes in the expectation of finding the body. The blood hounds of A. W. Walling of Oneonta were brought here late Friday afternoon and were put on the trail of the woman that evening. They followed the scent to the cemetery and about the grounds, but lost it in the cemetery and were unable to pick it up at the place where she left the cemetery.

The coat worn by Mrs. Everham was found this afternoon on the small island in the river. It had been neatly folded and placed under some bushes. Small foot prints led from the spot to the water's edge. Searching parties equipped with powerful searchlights located the body in the river about a mile and a half below this village at the hour named.

Mrs. Everham was a woman of 55 years and had been in poor health for several years and since the death of an only son a few years ago had been subject to fits of despondency. No arrangements for the funeral have been made.

MURSLAUGHTER CHARGED

Charles G. Hovey of Amsterdam, Driver of Car in Which Edward W. Walters Was Killed, Gives Bail.

Charles G. Hovey, an employee of Palmer's garage at Amsterdam, the driver of the car in which Edward W. Walters of Worcester, formerly of this city, was killed on Saturday, June 7, near Schenevus, was held by Justice James R. Macduff of Schenevus for the grand jury under the charge of manslaughter in the second degree, it being alleged that the defendant was driving a motor car while intoxicated, causing the death of his companion, Walters.

The case was before Justice Kellogg on Saturday in the matter of bail. It was fixed at \$2,000 and bond was presented and approved.

E. R. Campbell of Schenevus, district attorney, appeared for the People and James P. Frier for the defendant.

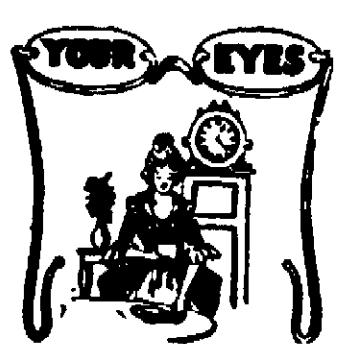
Two Shear & Sharpening Promotions.

The firm of Shear & Sharpening have promoted two of their Oneonta clerks to positions of manager in other stores of their chain. Francis Riley left yesterday for Olyphant, Pa., and Cyril Roarick leaves Tuesday to assume charge of the store at Forest Hills, etc.

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LEAVES SOON FOR EUROPE

Mr. G. W. Fairchild calls on Oneonta for International B. M. Company.

Hoag, George W. Fairchild, who had been in Oneonta for several days looking after matters in this city, left yesterday morning for New York city, where important business occupies most of his time. On July 3 Mr. Fairchild, who is chairman of the Board of Directors of the International Business Machines company, will sail via the Lancastria of the Cunard line for Europe. He is accompanied by President Watson of the same company, the principal business of the trip being in Paris, where the company has purchased a building for its sole use, and in Germany, where a new factor has lately been opened for the production of its various lines of goods.

On Saturday of this week the I. B. M. company will open the new building which it has lately erected on the board walk in Atlantic City, N. J. In connection with the event a dinner will be given at which Mr. Fairchild will be the guest of honor; and outside of the officials of the company the only other guests will be men who for twenty-five years have been affiliated with different branches of the company business.

The Atlantic City building is for the convenient exhibition of the extensive line of company goods, which become very large outside the commonly known line of its products. In that well known summer and winter resort many conventions attended by business men are annually held, and the new building will give opportunity conveniently and satisfactorily to exhibit these goods to men associated with big business.

Many residents of Oneonta and vicinity, who are financially interested with the Business Machines company will be interested to know that, despite a quite general depression in business circles, the I. B. M. has had a very satisfactory season, the figures to this time showing a substantial increase in every department over the same months of last year.

MISS SARAH WELLS DEAD.

Elderly and Respected Resident of Hartwick Succumbs — Funeral Tuesday.

Miss Sarah Wells died at the home of her brother, H. T. Wells, in Hartwick village, Saturday evening, after an illness of two weeks. Funeral services will be held at the home on Tuesday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Rev. Yates of Christ church, Cooperstown, of which the deceased was a communicant, will officiate. Interment will be in the Luther cemetery.

Miss Wells was a daughter of Stephen and Mary Tucker Wells, and lived the greater part of her life on the Wells homestead, situated on East Hill in the town of Hartwick, where she was born 81 years ago.

Surviving Miss Wells are one sister, Mrs. Walter Renwick, of Hartwick, and three brothers, John of Manton, Long Island; Phillip and Harvey of Hartwick; also several nieces and nephews.

Miss Wells was a woman of rare refinement, living a life of devotion to others and loved by all who knew her.

MARRIAGES.

Becker-Hitt.

Miss Mildred G. Hitt, also a resident of Oneonta, was quietly united in marriage Saturday evening at the First Methodist parsonage by Dr. Flynn. They were unattended.

After a short wedding trip the couple will make their home at 15 Franklin street. The congratulations of a host of friends will be extended to them.

Shelley-Ballard.

Charles T. Shelley of Davenport Center and Miss Lorinda Ballard of Davenport were united in marriage last evening at 9 o'clock by Dr. J. W. Flynn at the parsonage of the First Methodist Episcopal church. They were attended by Lynn Cowgall and Miss Nettie Ballard, a sister of the bride.

They will make their home at Davenport Center and will have the congratulations and best of wishes of a wide circle of friends.

MINISTERS TO MEET.

Interesting Topics to be Discussed at Oneonta District Convention.

The Oneonta District Ministerial association of the Methodist Episcopal church will convene in the Windsor church on Monday and Tuesday of this week and number of interesting topics are to be discussed. District Superintendent, M. S. Godshall of this city will preside, while many of the vicinity clergymen are to read papers.

"Impressions of the General Conference" will be the subject of a paper by Dr. Godshall and Dorr McLaury of Milford will lead a discussion on this topic. Doubtless practically all of the district ministers will attend.

Birthday Party.

Mrs. Thurza Frey entertained several of her friends with a dinner party last Thursday night, the occasion, a surprise to her friends, being that of her seventieth birthday. Those present besides the hostess were Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Van Woert, Mrs. Ann Melhorn, Mr. and Mrs. Wright Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hendry, Miss Dorothy Terry and Miss Leona Hendry.

The Thirteenth Wedding.

Omer Clark, the 13-year-old son of Mrs. Agnes Clark of 13½ Grove street was operated upon for the removal of tonsils at the Fox Memorial hospital on Friday morning, June 12. Dr. Cutler, assisted by Drs. McMenamin and Augustin, were the surgeons. The operation was very successful and the patient returned to his home on Saturday.

Funeral of Mrs. Woodcock.

The funeral of Mrs. Clara Woodcock was held from her late home, 12 Makley avenue, Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. W. C. Dodge of the Elm Park Methodist church officiated. Interment was in Milford Center.

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DREAMER OF DREAMS

How Vision of David Was Consummated in Temple at Jerusalem

Inspiring Message to Normal Class of 1924 Delivered Yesterday by Rev. Dr. Richard Earle Locke of Albany—The Story of How Under Divine Guidance Dreams Come True.

A sermon with few equals and probably no superiors in the history of the Oneonta Normal was delivered yesterday afternoon at the school auditorium before the class of 1924 by Rev. Dr. Richards Earle Locke, pastor of the Madison Avenue Reformed church of Albany. Owing doubtless to the lure of the great out-of-doors, the attendance was not as large as in some other years, but those townfolk and visitors who, with the Normal graduating class and undergraduates were present had the pleasure of listening to an address reverent in tone, sincere in utterance, thoughtful in expression and with freighted with desire to leave with the audience an inspiration to work for the good of humanity in the world.

The exercises of the afternoon began with "Light of the World," sung as a procession to the school. The scripture lesson from I Chronicles 29, was read by Rev. L. C. Denney, rector of St. James' church, and a solo from Mendelssohn's "St. Paul" was sung by Miss Esther Greene of the Normal faculty. Prayer was offered by Dr. James C. Russell of the First Presbyterian church and a second number from the Mendelssohn masterpiece, "How Lovely Are the Messengers," was given by the school chorus, following which Dr. Locke was introduced by Principal Bugbee as the preacher of the day.

Taking as his text the words found in I Chronicles xxii: 18, "O Lord, the God of our fathers, keep this forever in the imagination of the thoughts of the hearts of Thy people," the speaker, after a few words relative to God's handiwork as shown in the beautiful valley of the Susquehanna, a part of which in coming to Oneonta he had for the first time traversed, announced his theme as "Cherishing the Dream," following with a sermon which to the class of young people now going out into the active work of the world, was in every way applicable.

All of us have dreamed he said, not visions of the night, but dreams and imaginings by day in which we have been rich beyond the dreams of avarice. These dreams have not been fulfilled, nor was the dream of David, who in the building of the temple at Jerusalem failed to see his highest ambitions realized. He did not see embodied in marble and precious stones and ivory his conception of the beauty and bounty of God. It was to have been the greatest reminder of the beauty of God, and his hope was to see the realization. This, however, could not be because he was a man of war and his hands were red with blood. Yet, although the accomplishment was not to be his, he bequeathed the leaders to keep in mind the unfulfilled dream; and God approved of him because, being a faithful failure, he kept the vision in his heart.

The house of one's soul is the temple of his life, and our work is to contribute to the building of the temple of God in the heart and in the world. Joseph was a dreamer, but his dreams came in Egypt to a sublime accomplishment. "America Saloon" was a slogan of 1892, and now is only 1924. "A Warless World" is a part of our modern dream. Who shall say that this thing, along with great material achievements which the last half century has witnessed, is not to be part of our dreams come true, and who would not willingly enlist under this banner of dreams?

Apropos of Flag day, only one day before, he made striking reference to the standard of our nation and what it typifies. "The white in the flag," he said, "is the vision of our fathers; the red is the blood of sacrifice shed in consummation of that dream. The blue is the emblem of home and heaven. Our fathers dreamed one hundred forty-seven years ago of a free country, and the larger world pronounced the vision ridiculous, absurd, impractical. Yet today England's premier is a crofter's son, Italy's premier is a blacksmith and the head of the German government is a saddler. In this short period as we are reckoned, the dreams of the fathers have been fulfilled.

"Two thousand years the greatest dreamer of them all, Jesus of Nazareth, visioned a nobler world so clearly that it is an accomplished fact, even though the blood of sacrifice paid for that dream.

"Are you dreaming of what you will do, working with God for the building of new heavens and a new earth? Have you visions of giving something by your own efforts, which shall be an accepted stone in the temple of God?" We have about us all the material which is needed to make new Edens. May we use it faithfully, and may God fulfill for us the prayer of David, which was that his people should always keep the dream of the temple in their hearts?

At the conclusion of the forceful and inspiring sermon, "O Paradise" was sung by those in attendance, all standing, the benediction was pronounced by Mr. Denney and the school chorus sang, "O God, beneath the gloaming land" as a recessional closing the service of the day.

DEATHS.

Ralph Minster.

Ralph Minster of 46 River street died at the Fox Memorial hospital last evening following his removal to that institution yesterday morning in which the ambulance suffered with a ruptured appendix. An obituary notice will be found in The Star of Tuesday.

Beauty Parlor Change.

Effective June 17, 1924, the beauty parlor of Mrs. Edward F. Mills at 247 Main street will be managed by Mrs. D. Clarke of the city, while Mrs. Mills is taking a few months vacation.

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Among the last of the units on your car that require attention at the beginning of the touring season, are the gears in the transmission case and rear axle. Fortunately these parts rarely give any trouble and require attention only about once every 4,000 or 5,000 miles, that is, if the gear box and rear axle casings are oil tight. If these are leaking, then they will require attention much oftener.

Generally at the beginning of the cold weather, the wise motorist drains off the heavy oil he has been using in these units during the summer, and replaces it with a much lighter oil for the colder weather. If heavy oil is used in cold weather it becomes very stiff and thick and absorbs quite a large amount of power and at the same time makes gear changing a little difficult. For the summer you need to use a fairly heavy oil to cushion the gears, so that the first thing to do is to drain out the old oil from both gear case and rear axle, and replace it with the proper grade of lubricant for the summer.

First remove the drain plug you will find at the bottom of the gear box and drain off all the old oil, then replace the plug and pour in about a quart of kerosene. Take a good stiff brush and remove all the old oil from the face of the gears, etc., then drain off. If you have noticed any noise in the gear box, now is the time to find out what is wrong. Carefully examine the teeth on the gear wheels to see that none are broken or chipped, and at the same time feel if there is any play in the bearings of either the main or the lay shaft. If the bearings of these shafts are worn badly, the lubricant will leak out of the gear box and the gears will soon become very noisy.

If, however, all gear teeth and bushings are in good shape, then fill up with fresh oil. If possible consult the instruction book you receive with your car to see what kind of oil to use and what height of the lay shaft. When the gears are revolving they throw up enough oil to lubricate the gears and main shaft bearings. Do not on any account fill the gear box to top with lubricant.

It is a good idea while you have the kerosene handy and are on the job, to scrape off all the old dirty gummy grease from the sides of the gear box, then try all bolts to see that they are tight and that there are no oil leaks.

The Rear Axle gears require about the same attention as those in the Gear box. Drain off all the old oil and fill up with fresh oil to the level of the top plug. Be very careful not to put too much oil in the back axle or you will have trouble with it working out along the axle shafts and so on to the brakes and wheels.

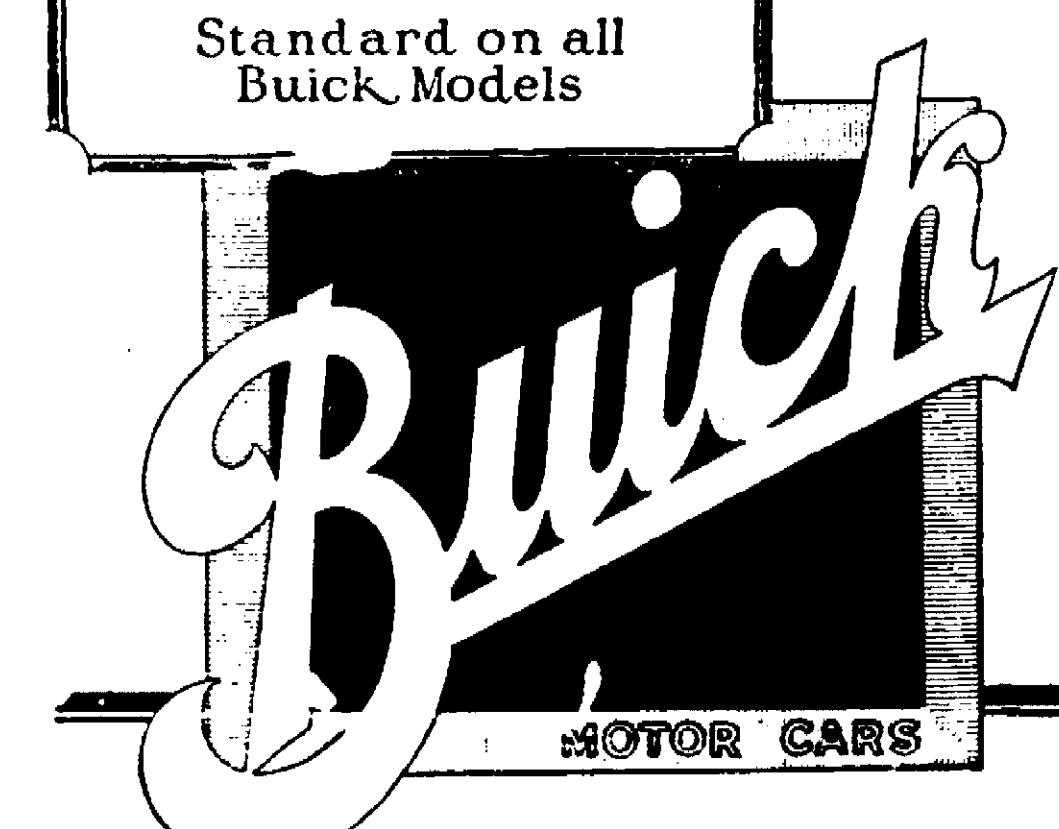
Fully 50% of all back axle and gear box replacements are caused by the carelessness of the owner in letting the oil in these units get too low or in using the wrong kind of lubricant. If you use an oil that is too heavy, the gears track in it and when the car is going at any speed very little oil reaches the bearings and gears. The result is that these bearings and gears are not properly lubricated and run hot then wear commences and before you know where you are, you have an expensive repair bill to pay. Consult the service manager of the service station for the car you drive. He will be glad to tell you the best grade of lubricant to use and how high to keep it in the gear box and rear axle. Follow his advice and you will find that your car will run quieter and better and replacements in these units will not be required until the car has run at least 20,000 miles and perhaps even more.

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